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Shanghai Municipal Council.

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POLICE FORCE,  
(DETECTIVE BRANCH)

Sir,

It is reported that three rebel leaders named Li Tsung Woo 李樵五, Tsung Tsun Ching 曾正卿 and Liu San Tsche 劉三才 are very active at present and are trying to arrange to have Shanghai declare independence. It is said that these have about three hundred followers, to each of whom they pay about thirty cents per day. They intend to commence operations by murdering Zee Koh Liang 徐國璋, Chief of Police, and Military Governor Yang.

General Yang has received a telegram from Nanking stating that information has been received by Chiangchun Feng Kou Chang that Deputy Military Governor Lu of Woosung intends to oppose the new President. The telegram adds that Lu is secretly communicating with General Chang Hsun, who is also opposed to the new occupant of the presidential chair. It is rumoured that General Lu's soldiers are making preparations to resist an attack from the Shanghai side.

Ten boxes of ammunition were sent from the Arsenal to Nanking on 9th inst by a transport.

Your Obedient Servant,

William A. A. A. A.

Chief Detective Inspector.

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Captain Superintendent of Police.

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